

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Satoru Matsuda et al.  
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Title: INFORMATION PROCESSING DEVICE AND INFORMATION  
PROCESSING METHOD, SERVICE PROVIDING SYSTEM, AND  
COMPUTER-EXECUTABLE METHOD, SERVICE PROVIDING SYSTEM,  
AND COMPUTER-EXECUTABLE PROGRAM FOR THE SAME  
Art Unit: 2154  
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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

**Sir:**

In reply to the Office Action dated August 4, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.